

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.
31671-157328

Application No.
09/514312-Conf. #8281

Filing Date
February 28, 2000

Examiner
Hasan Syed Ahmed

Art Unit
1615

Applicant(s): Kasai et al.

Invention: COATED MATERIAL AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE COATED MATERIAL (As Amended)

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
Total Claims	12	- 40 =		x	
Independent Claims	4	- 7 =		x	
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify):					
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:					0.00

☒ Large Entity

☐ Small Entity

☒ No additional fee is required for this amendment.

☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____.
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 22-0261 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

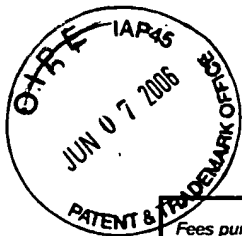
☒ Credit any overpayment.

☒ Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.

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FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2006		Complete if Known	
		Application Number	09/514312-Conf. #8281
		Filing Date	February 28, 2000
		First Named Inventor	Takahide Kasai
		Examiner Name	Hasan Syed Ahmed
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27	Art Unit	1615	
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	(\$) 0.00	Attorney Docket No.	31671-157328

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Check	<input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card
<input type="checkbox"/> Money Order	<input type="checkbox"/> None
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please identify): _____	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deposit Account	Deposit Account Number: <u>22-0261</u> Deposit Account Name: <u>Venable LLP</u>
For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Charge fee(s) indicated below	<input type="checkbox"/> Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayments

FEE CALCULATION (All the fees below are due upon filing or may be subject to a surcharge.)							
1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES							
	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		
Application Type	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	
2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES							
Fee Description						Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)						50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)						200	100
Multiple dependent claims						360	180
Total Claims		Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims		
<u>12</u>		<u>- 40 = 0</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>=</u>	Fee (\$)		Fee Paid (\$)
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.							
Indep. Claims		Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)			
<u>4</u>		<u>- 7 = 0</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>=</u>			
HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3.							
3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE							
If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).							
Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof		Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)		
<u> </u>	<u>- 100 =</u>	<u>/50</u>		<u>(round up to a whole number) x</u>	<u>=</u>		
4. OTHER FEE(S)							
Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)						Fees Paid (\$)	
Other (e.g., late filing surcharge):							

SUBMITTED BY			
Signature	<u>Nancy Axelrod</u>	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	44,014
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Group Art Unit: 1615
Examiner: Hasan Syed Ahmed

In Re PATENT APPLICATION OF

Applicants : Takahide KASAI et al.

Appln. No. : 09/514,312

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Atty. Dkt. : 31671-157328

REPLY

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Sir:

In response to the outstanding, non-final Office Action, dated March 7, 2006, in the above-reference application, please amend the application as indicated below and consider the remarks which follow.

Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.